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Bracken Flays Government for Lack of Action

No Clear-Cut Reconversion Program and Still Insists on Secret Orders in Council

TORONTO, Dec. 3 (CP).—Hon. John Bracken, National Progressive Conservative leader, said tonight the Federal Government was without a clear-cut reconversion program and charged that it "still insists on secret, order-in-council Government."

"What is needed is for the government to shake off its lingering war mentality and get its thinking adjusted to conditions of peace," the Federal Opposition leader said in an address at the annual meeting of the Ontario Progressive Conservative Association.

Mr. Bracken, while defending parliament as "a growth from centuries of experience," said that many of its forms and procedures were not a matter for commendation.

"With its load of tradition it is allowing itself to become a slow-motion machine of archaic forms and outmoded conventions and is being used by its present bosses to excuse their dictatorship complex."

Mr. Bracken criticized the Government's international outlook, its trade policies and entry into the fields of private business. He was outspoken in his criticism of its delay in completing the transition from war to peace.

The Government had promised full production, full employment, a high national income and the preservation of private enterprise, Mr. Bracken said. He claimed it had failed in all four respects.

Needed goods were scarce and were not being produced. Men were on strike and more were threatening to strike.

"The Government has no adequate labor policy to prevent industrial war," he said. "Reconversion is being held up because Government controls are in the way."

The Opposition leader said he was in favor of increasing international trade by united action or by any other practical way.

"We had a sheltered position in British markets when most of the

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From Europe Day by Day

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Dec. 3.—The British view of the trans-Atlantic air routes battle is presented in a Times editorial today. The editorial says the reduction of rates by Pan-American without preliminary negotiation is "a declaration of economic war by the company on its competitors, American or foreign, and the fulfillment of its expressed resolve to use every endeavor to maintain the exceptional position in the foreign air services of the United States which it had secured before the war."

The British Government, the Times says, is deeply concerned. Its policy is to promote international collaboration in the air, and among the means proposed to facilitate this was the fixing of carriage rates and control of subsidies.

The British Government could not remain a passive spectator when the trans-Atlantic rates were aggressively cut to a figure at which, with aircraft at the operating cost, it would appear impossible for receipts to cover costs.

The effect would seem to be that of "dumping," with the deficiency on trans-Atlantic flights to be made up from charges on other routes. The London-New York service must operate as frequently and as cheaply as possible, but events already are proving that this aim cannot be realized without some arrangement between the British and American Governments on differences which arose at the Chicago Air Conference and which have not yet been resolved.

The Times parliamentary correspondent says that this week the Commons debate on the Opposition motion will be in effect a continuation of the general election debate.

"Labor won easily then," he says, "and the Government will win easily again in the lobbies when the division is taken. But it will be equally important from the Government's point of view to convince the country abroad that they are right and Churchill wrong. In the country's present mood of moral de-

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Russia Answers

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP).—The State Department said tonight Russia has rejected an American request that all Allied troops be withdrawn from Iran by January 1.

The reason for the Russian rejection was not given by the department, which has proposed to Moscow publication of its note received here during the week-end.

Loans for Allies Aid To Trade

Europe and China to Buy Canadian Goods

OTTAWA, Dec. 3 (CP).—The Commons today was given details of the Government's plans for providing export credit loans to her allies, a program which Finance Minister Isley described as being designed to aid devastated countries to rehabilitate themselves and to provide a long-term basis for expanding Canadian trade.

The House devoted its afternoon session to a discussion of a resolution which provided for a \$500,000,000 increase in the \$100,000,000 previously authorized for loans. The resolution passed and the bill based on it was introduced and given first reading.

Mr. Isley outlined plans for export credit loans totaling \$400,000,000. The additional \$250,000,000 asked was required to cover loans to Belgium, China and Russia, amounts of which had not been determined. Credit arrangements with the United Kingdom would be dealt with separately by special legislation.

Specific amounts which have been allotted to countries from both the previous authority and the additional funds sought are: France, \$242,500,000; The Netherlands, \$85,000,000; Norway, \$30,000,000; Netherlands East Indies, \$85,000,000.

Belgium has been allotted \$25,000,000, which will be supplemented by an amount still to be determined. Credit arrangements with the United Kingdom would be dealt with separately by special legislation.

Mr. Mayhew at present is Hon. J. L. Isley's assistant in the finance department.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King served notice of future Cabinet reconstruction at a press conference last August when he announced Cabinet appointments and said the system of parliamentary assistants would be continued.

Mr. King had indicated that the Cabinet reconstruction, when it came, would see the three services consolidated under one minister.

First step in this direction was the naming of Hon. Douglas Abbott to head both defence and naval affairs following the resignation of Gen. McNaughton as Defence Minister.

This move would appear to indicate Mr. Abbott, rather than Col. Colin Gibson, the present Air Minister, would assume direction of the three services when final consolidation is completed.

There has been much speculation in connection with the future of Col. Gibson as to whether he would stay in the Cabinet or, accept another post.

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Killinger, Junge Given Five Years

WUPPERTAL, Germany, Dec. 3 (AP).—Col. Erich Killinger, 52-year-old commander of the Dulag Luft prisoner interrogation camp, and his chief interrogator, Major Heinz Junge, were sentenced to five years imprisonment today by a British military court for using "sweat box" torture methods on captured Allied airmen.

One other of Killinger's aides was given three years, and two were acquitted. They had all been accused of using an asbestos-lined electrically operated sweat box in forcing military information from downed R.A.F. and American flyers.

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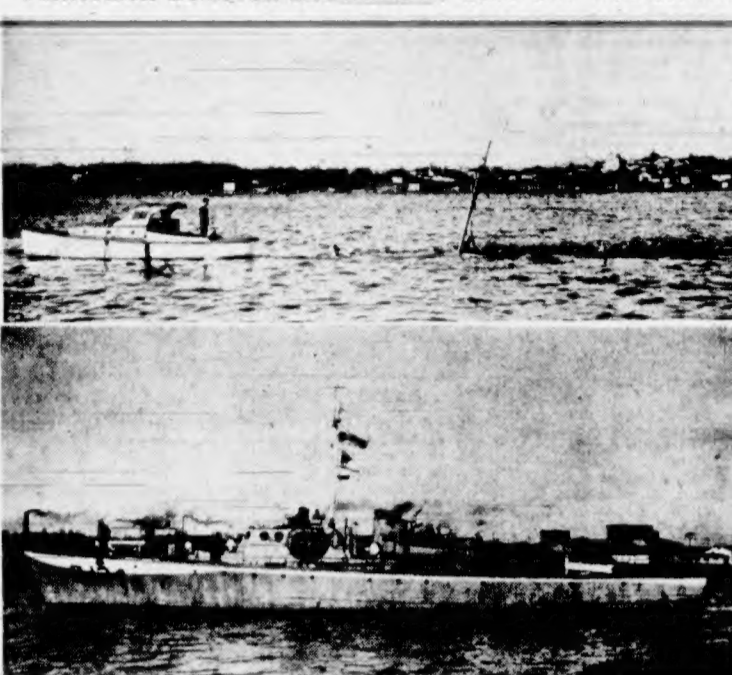
In London a Foreign Office spokesman disclosed that Russia had replied to a British note asking Soviet authorities not to interfere with the movement of Iranian troops. Details of the reply, however, were not announced.

Singapore Site Of Allied Confab

BATAVIA, Java, Dec. 3 (AP).—Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten will preside at a conference of top British, French and Dutch leaders in Singapore Thursday night in an effort to solve the politico-military problems of Java and Indo-China.

Among those expected to sit in with the Allied Supreme Commander in Southeast Asia are Field Marshal Lord Alan Brooke, chief of the Imperial General Staff, Lt.-Gen. Sir Philip Christison, and Maj.-Gen. Douglas Gracey, British commanders in Java and Indo-China, respectively. Vice-Admiral C. E. L. Helfrich, commander of Dutch naval forces in the Pacific, Maj.-Gen. Jacques Leclerc, French commander in Indo-China, and Hubertus J. Van Mook, Acting Governor-General of the Netherlands East Indies.

Fishermen Believed Drowned in Gale Off Waterfront



With her mast cutting the water like the periscope of a submarine, the submerged fishing vessel Margaret G. is shown in the top photograph as she was towed to Falconer Marine Industries, Ltd., yesterday. The boat capsized on Sunday night off Brothie Ledge, and no trace has been found of her two occupants, Jack H. Grant and John F. Cloke. Taking part in the morning search for the missing vessel was a sleek Fairmile of the Royal Canadian Navy, shown in the lower photograph. She towed the stricken craft from where she was found, nearly two miles southeast of Brothie Ledge, into the harbor. The towline was transferred to the smaller boat from the Fairmile when a short distance offshore.

"Inside Story" of Munich Pact Unfolded at Trial

NUERNBERG, Dec. 3 (AP).—An American prosecutor today laid bare before the international war crimes tribunal Hitler's most notorious treachery—how he told the world he had no more territorial claims to make and at the same time secretly planned to attack Czechoslovakia.

Unfolding what he called the "inside story" of the Munich pact, Sidney S. Alderman, assistant United States prosecutor, pointed to the 20 solemn Nazi leaders in the prisoners' box and declared the Munich agreement "was a trap set by these people who are here on trial."

Throughout the day he presented evidence to support his assertion, tracing step by step the historic four-power meeting at Munich in September, 1938, then the German occupation of the Sudetenland and finally the seizure of Moravia and Bohemia.

Official Nazi documents showed that one month after the occupation of Austria in March, 1938, Hitler and Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel met to discuss a "pretext" for the invasion of Czechoslovakia and that from then on plans went forward, despite Hitler's pious assertions and his signature of the Munich pact September 30, 1938.

Germany's intentions were made clear in numerous documents such as a directive from Hitler dated May 30, 1938, which opened with the words: "It is my unalterable decision to smash Czechoslovakia by military action in the near future."

This directive, transmitted by Keitel to commanders of the army, navy and air force, was supplemented by an order from the Supreme Commander fixing October 1, 1938, as the deadline for the attack.

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Iran Appeals To Russia for New Decision

TEHRAN, Iran, Dec. 3 (AP).—The Iranian Government told Russia today that it would be willing "to meet the legitimate people" in troubled Azerbaijan Province, presumably to discuss demands for local autonomy, as soon as order is restored in Northern Iran.

The Government's offer, considered by some Cabinet members as the inauguration of an appeasement policy, was made in a note replying to a Russian refusal to permit Iranian reinforcements entering the province on the ground that their presence would cause further fighting and bloodshed.

The Iranian forces would be used only to prevent disorder or aggression, the note said, and "in this way the northern provinces will be quickly pacified and Government officials will be able to meet the legitimate people of Azerbaijan."

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Millionaire Scalera Brothers Released

ROME, Dec. 3 (Reuters).—The brothers Salvatore and Michael Scalera, Italian millionaires, arrested a month ago on charges of financing Mussolini's march on Rome and other Fascist crimes, were provisionally released tonight after the public prosecutor had asked leave to drop the case because of insufficient evidence.

Plane Missing On West Coast

SEATTLE, Dec. 3 (AP).—The 13th Naval District here said tonight a search by air and sea was being conducted all the way from Seattle to Kodiak, Alaska, for a United States navy plane missing since November 29 with 12 persons aboard.

The public relations office said the Privateer plane, navy version of the Liberator bomber—was not contacted after it left Kodiak.

Power Fails Second Night At Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Dec. 3 (CP).—For the second successive night, electric lights were blacked out in several districts of Vancouver tonight.

Tonight the blackout came at supper time.

Lights failed in the Dunbar and Point Grey districts shortly after 5:30 p.m., and residents were forced to eat by candlelight. Lights in the Cambie district were extinguished later.

The break occurred half an hour before B.C. Electric Company line-men expected to remedy low-voltage trouble in the same sections following the tumbling of 18 light poles Sunday night during a windstorm.

The blackout, which affected most of the area for an hour and a half, was attributed to a short circuit in the emergency hook-up rigged Sunday to replace temporarily the downed lines.

B.C. Electric officials said that a temporary set-up would not accommodate the morning rush and workmen already are racing against time to put new lines in by day-break.

The break, coming at the peak of the evening rush hour, brought all street car traffic in the Dunbar district to a halt. Gasoline buses were put into service to ease the tie-up until street car service was restored.

Nationalists Only 30 Miles From Mukden

CHUNGKING, Dec. 3 (AP).—Chinese Nationalist forces advancing in Manchuria were reported 30 miles southwest of the important city of Mukden today and their commander said, "We expect to be in Harbin in a month or so."

The Chinese Central News Agency said press dispatches reporting the new gains said air transportation of Nationalist troops farther into Manchuria would start next week.

An Associated Press dispatch from Peiping said that Nationalist officials, who had fled from Changchun, Manchurian capital, in mid-November for fear that Russian withdrawal would leave them at the mercy of the Chinese Communists, were preparing to return tomorrow and take over the Government.

Among these officials is Chiang Chung-Kuo, eldest son of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

Credible reports in Chungking said the Russians had undertaken to protect the airfields at Changchun and Mukden but that the Nationalists had appealed to them to guarantee rail transport as well.

The Russians, who have agreed to stay in Manchuria until January 3 to stay the Nationalists can consolidate in that valuable territory, apparently have made no commitments to admit the Nationalists anywhere except Mukden and Changchun.

Two Victoria Men Feared Drowned In Week-End Gale

No Trace of Jack H. Grant and John F. Cloke As Their Fishing Vessel Discovered Submerged

Possibility that two Victoria fishermen were drowned on Sunday night when the vessel in which they were fishing off Brothie Ledge capsized during a gale, was expressed yesterday by Provincial Police.

Names of the men, of whom no trace has been found, are: Jack H. Grant, 35, 470 Oliver Street, and John F. Cloke, 500 Oliver Street. They were fishing on the Margaret G. a 30-foot gillnetter, equipped with trolling poles and owned by Grant.

An intensified search was made yesterday morning for the boat, after word had been received from Harold Grant that his son, Jack, had not returned from the Sunday fishing trip.

Three fishing vessels, a Fairmile harbor craft of the Royal Canadian Navy, and an R.C.A.F. plane assisted in the search. Other boats taking part, and their owners, were: Northern Girl, Fred Noel, 766 St. Patrick Street; Storm II, Angus H. McKee, 24 Gilmora Street; and Silver Dollar, Alec Martin, 47 Mequies Street.

The search was arranged by Mr. Noel, a close friend of Jack Grant. At 11 a.m. Mr. Noel sighted the top of the pilot house and the mast of the missing boat two miles south-east of Brothie Ledge.

Just as he was about to go alongside the submerged vessel, the steering gear on his own boat broke down. At the same time he sighted the Fairmile approaching from Esquimalt Harbor. He signalled the navy vessel, which came alongside.

The Margaret G. completely submerged except for her mast, was then towed into the harbor by the Fairmile.

When well inside the harbor, the Fairmile cast the towline to a smaller boat which took the sunken fishing vessel to Falconer Marine Industries, Ltd. There she was hoisted onto the marine railway, water was pumped from her hull, and a general survey was made.

Arnold Moran, superintendent of the shipyard, said last night there

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Truman Acts To Stem Tide Of Union Strife

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP).—President Truman today asked Congress for legislation to stem the tide of labor strife in the United States with fact-finding boards and "cooling-off" periods in which stoppages would be barred for 30 days.

Warning that present strikes "may cripple our reconversion program," Mr. Truman appealed for action before Congress' Christmas recess—which is to start only 17 days hence, December 20.

President William Green of the American Federation of Labor said he believed the plan would be "unacceptable to labor." Some senators indicated belief it did not go far enough.

But without waiting for Capitol Hill reaction, Mr. Truman announced creation of fact-finding boards for the 20-state General Motors strike and for a vast approaching threat, the steel wage dispute.

The President appealed to 225,000 striking C.I.O. automobile workers to return to work at General Motors and asked some 700,000 relative C.I.O. steel workers to stay on the job while three-man fact-finding commissions explore each of the wage disputes and make recommendations for settlement.

At Detroit, leaders of the automobile strikers announced they would call a conference of General Motors workers next Saturday to decide what to do about the President's request.

Expressing his disappointment that industry and union leaders had failed to agree on machinery for peaceful settlement of disputes at the National Labor-Management conference which closed Friday night, Mr. Truman said in his message to Congress:

"Now that the conference had adjourned without any recommendation on the subject, it becomes the duty of the Government to act on its own initiative."

Revised Bill Puts Repayment Of Refundable Taxes in Sight

OTTAWA, Dec. 3 (CP).—The derivation in the revised national emergency bill that the war is regarded officially as over on January 1, 1946, if the bill becomes law, will mean that the Government must start repaying refundable income taxes and the refundable portions of the excess profits taxes before April 1, 1946.

The income tax and excess profits tax laws provide that the refundable portions collected in 1945 must be paid back within two years after the end of the fiscal year following the official declaration of the end of the war. This will be two years after March 31, 1946. The taxes collected in 1945 would be repayable before April 1, 1946, and so on.

However, it is expected the Government will not wait that long but will start the repayments as soon as feasible.

The Government owes approximately \$260,000,000 on refunds on personal income taxes collected from 1942 to 1944 and \$184,000,000 on excess profits taxes up to March 31, 1945.

For legal purposes the war against Germany and Japan officially will come to an end January 1, 1946, providing the necessary legislation is passed.

Paralysis Cases
YAKIMA, Wash., Dec. 3 (AP).—Dr. Stanley R. Benner, health officer, said today eight infantile paralysis patients had been received in St. Elizabeth's Hospital here since Saturday, bringing the number now in hospital to 23.

A total of 23 has been reported by the health officer. The new patients are two women and six children.

The Weather Across Canada

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Montreal	14	21	13	10
Toronto	17	24	16	12
North Bay	21	28	20	16
Port Arthur	15	22	14	10
Edmonton	11	18	10	6
Calgary	11	18	10	6
Regina	8	15	7	3
Saskatoon	5	12	4	0
Prince Albert	2	9	1	-3
North Battleford	1	8	0	-4
Swift Current	0	7	-1	-5
Medicine Hat	-1	6	-2	-6
Lethbridge	-2	5	-3	-7
Calgary	-3	4	-4	-8
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Frauds Raised \$10 Starter to \$10,000 Take; Two on Trial

EDMONTON, Dec. 3 (CP). — The story of how a \$10 investment was pyramided to approximately \$10,000 through a series of false pretence frauds in the Dominion Post Office was unfolded in Supreme Court here today by Crown Prosecutor Guy Patterson in the trial of the two men.

The youths face 20 charges of false pretences and one charge of forging a United States \$10 bank note. Boratyniec also faces a charge of carrying a pistol without a permit.

They pleaded guilty to the 20 charges of false pretences. Boratyniec also pleaded guilty to being in possession of a pistol without a permit.

Mr. Patterson told the court that the two accused starting with a \$10 deposit in a post office savings account had succeeded, through a series of false pretence acts in obtaining approximately \$10,000 from

post offices in six provinces across Canada.

The two men were apprehended recently while on a tour of Alberta during which they obtained \$1,775.

Their operations extended through British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec.

Mr. Patterson said it was the practice of the accused to open a post office savings account for a small amount and then raise the amount of the account. Through a female accomplice, still at large, the bank book would be presented at another post office and withdrawals made on the increased amount. The charges against the two men covered transactions at 20 different points in the province.

The hearing is proceeding.

Mayor Percy E. George received a contribution of \$10 yesterday to the Lord Mayor's Fund from Mrs. H. Kingsgate, 1149 Munro Street.

Protest Increase In Indemnities

Indignation at proposed sessional indemnity increases for members of the Federal Parliament was expressed at a meeting of the Saanich-Progressive Conservative Association at 738 Port Street last night.

"We feel this is not an opportune time for M.P.'s to receive an increase in indemnity," said a speaker.

People are being asked to deny themselves in order to avoid inflation," said a formal resolution which will be forwarded to Ottawa. A resolution commending Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., for "good work on behalf of Nanaimo riding," will be forwarded to the member.

Maj. L. H. McQueen, O.B.E., E.D., independent Progressive Conservative candidate for Saanich in the last provincial election, was elected president of the association. In place of Frank H. Davey, who announced his resignation, Hon. John Bracken was elected honorary president, and other officers were: George Eves, first vice-president; Arthur Frayne, second vice-president; Mrs. Gertrude Villers, third vice-president; Mrs. C. E. Giles, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. William Dealey and Mrs. Frank Davey, auditors; Mr. Davey, Mrs. W. McAllister, George McGregor, Mrs. Margaret Reading and Sidney Tucker, executive members. Maj. McQueen and Mr. Davey spoke briefly.

HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICE

C. C. Howard, exalted ruler, with the assistance of other lodge officers, conducted a well-attended service at Victoria Elks' Lodge headquarters on Sunday, in memory of departed members. Soloists were Miss Grace Adams and B. White, accompanied by George Todd, lodge organist. Major Alan McInnes, Salvation Army, delivered the memorial address.

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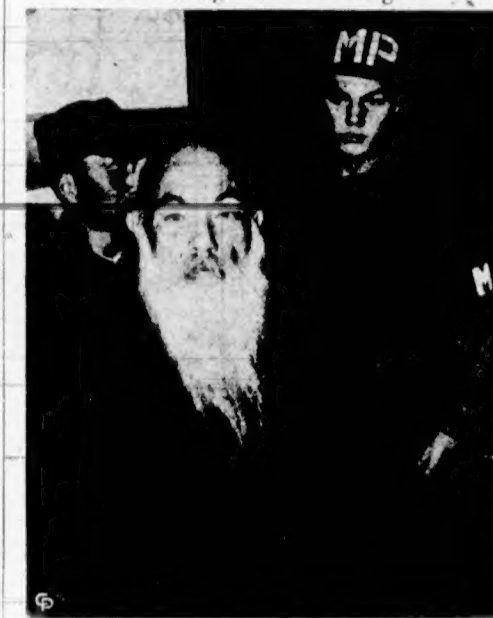
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Black Dragon Chief Is Caught



Bagged in recent war criminal roundup in Tokyo is straggly bearded Yoshitaka Kuzuu, president of the dread Black Dragon Society. Kuzuu can well be said to have been Japan's old man of the mountain, a power behind the scenes as head of the ring whose regime of political assassination and terrorism reinforced the ultra-militaristic clique in Nippon.

Greater Benefits for Jobless Veterans; Suggest \$10 Monthly

OTTAWA, Dec. 3 (CP). — Spurred by the first harsh twinges of post-war unemployment, the veterans' committee of the Commons overrode slight opposition today and voted for a recommendation that the Cabinet give consideration to an increase in veterans' out-of-work benefits of at least \$10 monthly.

Encompassed, too, were temporary incapacity and awaiting returns benefits, classified with the unemployment rate at \$50 a month for a single man and \$70 for a man with wife.

The committee sanctioned the recommendation—actually rooted in British Columbia's current problem of workless veterans—at the urging of Howard Green (Progressive Conservative, Vancouver South) and after hearing W. S. Woods, deputy veterans minister, observe that continued increases, added to family allowances, could reach the point where it would be to the advantage of veterans not to work.

A jobless veteran with wife and three children under six years of age would get \$104 in out-of-work benefits and another \$15 a month in family allowances.

Mr. Woods said his department already had recommended increases in its rates to veterans three times and he had no doubt that there would be more recommendations.

Opposition to Mr. Green's proposal found its epitome in the statement of Major Walter Harris (Liberal, Grey-Bruce) that \$50 a month would be "high" for rural Ontario, that the rates generally were "considerably higher than I had expected."

Mr. Green found support from Pte. Lt. James Sinclair (Liberal, Vancouver North); Major E. D. Fulton (Progressive Conservative, Kamloops); and Captain John Probe (C.C.F., Regina).

Pte. Lt. Rene Juras (Liberal, Vancouver) and Colonel A. J. Brooks (Progressive Conservative, Royal), aided with Major Harris.

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Government Plans to Increase Production of Meat and Wheat

OTTAWA, Dec. 3 (CP). — Federal Government proposals for boosting meat and wheat production next year to help feed a hungry world today were placed before the Dominion-Provincial agricultural conference which also heard prairie suggestions for greater emphasis on wheat production than on meat.

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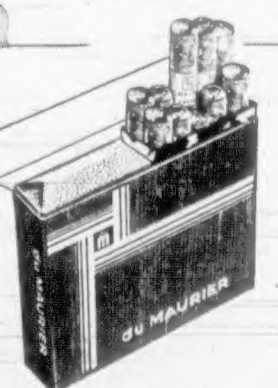
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Canada's Part

Mr. George W. Spinney, president of the Bank of Montreal, sounded a needed note when, in his address to the annual meeting of that institution yesterday, he stated that Canada was already in the postwar era, and would have to govern herself in the light of realities that must be faced now. Mr. Spinney paid a deserved tribute to the Canadian people when he said, in part, and we quote:

"It is customary to say something about the broad background of developments against which we all have to shape our affairs. I confess that I find this a particularly difficult assignment this year, since we stand—sooner than most of us have dared to hope—at one of the crucial turning points of history. For six long years the efforts of most of mankind have in one way or another been diverted to the purposes of destruction. The enemies of our way of life have at last been brought to defeat. But no thinking person can fail to be awed by the magnitude of the task of reconstruction before us.

"By sheer accident of geography, we in Canada have been spared war's direct ravages and horrors within our borders, although we have shared in its sorrow and heartache. But in pointing to the sacrifices we have been spared I do not attempt for a minute to belittle what has actually been accomplished by this country. The valiant achievements of our fighting forces deserve our homage and undying gratitude. We may be more than a little proud of the way in which this country's productive and transport facilities were mobilized for war; and I think, too, that at least something may be said of the part played by those many Canadians whose own war-time tasks may have been neither stimulating nor spectacular, but who have done their work with dogged determination, who have accepted cheerfully the financial burdens of war, and who have been in the vanguard of every worthwhile community and national effort.

"I do not think that people such as these need apologize for feeling just a little tired and a little impatient for a return to something approaching a normal way of living. But although many may feel war weary, the problems of reconstruction will not bide our time. The 'postwar era' about which so much has been written and said, is no longer a theoretical abstraction. The postwar is here and now; and with it comes the realization that, in its own way, peace will make its demands no less than war."

That was well said of this nation. May it come to be written, also, that Canada will achieve in the peace what her fighting men earned and merited when they faced a bitter and well-armed foe; a land worth fighting to preserve, one in which there will ever be fair and just opportunity for all men of goodwill to live out their lives in peace, and at harmony with their neighbors. Few men fought for the world—that was. Most men fought for the world that is to be. Canada's place in that can be as bright as her people, unitedly, care to make it.

Rental Controls

It is becoming clearer with each day that rental controls are not functioning in Canada to facilitate the rehousing of our people, but rather that they act as a brake upon the normal movement of people in and out of those communities where they have homes or businesses. We have said before, and repeat, that the removal of this red tape would be an immense benefit to this land. Whatever pressures were engendered in Canadian communities have been, and will be being, traced to the result of federal enactments. Left to themselves, both landlords and tenants could straighten out what is today a sorry mess.

A group of landlords in this community memorialized Ottawa the other day, and this was the gist of their complaint: The courts of the land, they pleaded, have been short-circuited by emergency rental courts with small judicial standing, and in which landlords feel that the pendulum is ever swinging against them. Rental boards, at points, have been at variance with the decisions given in the courts, with confusion resulting. Landlords, they assert, seem to have no rights, but only "wrongs." Never before was there such actual strife between landlord and tenant as now. Tenants, in some instances, have misused their undoubted powers, making their tenancy extremely obnoxious in the household. The wartime carry-over into the days of peace is pressing at a thousand points, with regulations that remain unchanged.

Such, at least, is the burden of the complaint. It is supported in its main essentials by what people have seen for themselves. It is not only the case of owners who cannot get into their homes, nor of landlords who cannot change a tenant under any circumstances—or so they have come to feel—but also the day by day result in the search by the public for lodgings, and the baffled desire of landlords to make use of whatever accommodations they still possess. Why not cut the red

tape, and let the public make these adjustments, as for centuries they have done? Is it to be another case of job holders who won't let go?

Ottawa Must Act

Effective action to improve the unemployment situation in British Columbia seems to be running foul of at least one circumstance similar to that which plagued it a decade ago—indifference to urban unemployment.

Committees without end are formed to wait on this authority or that, and they get nowhere. No responsible body seems willing to make a start on any definite project, even within the scope of limited jurisdiction. Amid the doubts and hesitations of governing authorities, however, there is one phase of the unemployment situation the responsibility for which is crystal clear. That is the steady discharge of non-resident servicemen in this province. The privilege granted service personnel by the Dominion Government of taking their discharge anywhere in Canada, theoretically unobjectionable, is proving unsound in practice and detrimental to our own British Columbia servicemen. Thousands of men who enlisted elsewhere have been discharged in Vancouver and Victoria, aggravating an already difficult rehabilitation problem.

Their desire to live in this province is natural, as natural as the magnet that originally drew prewar citizens to this favored section of the Dominion. They have trained and visited here during the war, and like it so well they want to make their homes at the coast. Ordinarily, they would be received with open arms. But these days are not ordinary. It will take all the ingenuity and energy British Columbia can muster to provide employment for our own sons and daughters coming out of uniform. This province is simply unable in addition to absorb tens of thousands of newcomers, without warning.

The situation created by this influx of newcomers is therefore strictly a federal responsibility and justifies immediate action by Ottawa. The Dominion Government authorized the transfer of these non-resident servicemen, and their rehabilitation cannot be thrust on provincial or civic shoulders. Ottawa would also be well advised to suspend this demobilization transfer, before unemployment in this province, already reaching visible proportions, grows worse.

Lady Hester Lake

The passing on Sunday of Lady Hester Lake, widow of the late Lieut.-Gen. Sir Percy Lake, the last of two noted soldier brothers who had made Victoria their home in retirement, will be widely regretted. Ninety-three years of age, Lady Lake was born in Surrey, England, and moved with Sir Percy to many parts of the British Empire during his long and active military career. Twenty years ago Sir Richard Lake and Sir Percy Lake came to reside in this city, where they were universally esteemed for their interest in and work among veterans. Lady Hester Lake was known to a wide circle of friends on both sides of the world, and her passing at an advanced age will create a void that will be keenly felt.

Wireless Telegraphy

Forty-four years ago this month Marconi heard with delight the faint Morse letter "K" which meant he had succeeded in transmitting by electromagnetic wave a recognizable signal across the Atlantic. Today, such has been the advance of radio since then, we take it so much for granted we are annoyed if reception is not always clear and undisturbed.

December is a notable month in the history of wireless, or radio as it is better known on this continent. Exactly a year after first bridging the Atlantic, Marconi transmitted from Glace Bay, Nova Scotia, the first message to go to Great Britain by wireless. In the Autumn of 1920 music and speech joined the crack of the Morse code, and in December of the same year the first broadcasting station in the world was formally opened at Pittsburgh. On December 25, 1932, King George V inaugurated the series of radio addresses to the Commonwealth and Empire that have been a conspicuous feature of Christmas Day ever since.

This century has given birth to so many scientific marvels that we no longer gaze but accept each fresh example of mechanical genius as a matter of course, and look expectantly for the next one. The development of wireless communication is perhaps the greatest of all, one that has had a profound effect on the life and manners of the civilized world. Some of its products, such as radar and television, promise to startle even the most complacent with the fruits of their development within the next few years.

From "Autumn"

Who hath not seen thee at mid thy store
Sometimes whoever seeks abroad may find
Thee sitting careless on a granary floor,
Thy hair soft-lifted by the winnowing winds;
Or, on a half-reap'd furrow sound, asleep,
Drows'd with the fumes of poppies, while
thy hook
Spires the next swath and all its twined flowers.

And sometimes like a gleaner thou dost keep
Steady thy laden head across a brook;
Or by a cider-press, with patient look,
Thou watchest the last oozings, hours
by hours.

—JOHN KEATS.

All ancient histories are but fables that
have been accepted.—VOLTAIRE.

What silly people wits are!
—BEAUMARCHAIS.

Life is a dream.—CALDERON.

Nellie McClung

Contributor

"The Stream Runs Fast," by Nellie L. McClung. (Thomas Allen Ltd., Toronto):

This is the autobiographical continuation of Mrs. McClung's book, "Clearing in the West." The second book differs from the first in that it is more subjective and intimate. Here she enters into intimate details of family life, and in an introspective way describes many of her own feelings and impulses.

It also reflects a picture of life on the Western prairies that will be familiar to many old timers. The town of Manitou is a reflex of almost any small town in the prairie provinces at the time. All had their Ladies Aid Societies, their church activities, their concerts and dances. Mrs. McClung tells it all in an easy and familiar style that will bring the picture home without an effort to every reader.

To the majority of readers the interest will probably heighten when she steps out of her small-town existence into the larger arena of public life in Winnipeg and Edmonton. Her adventures as a crusader for prohibition and women's rights provide some lively and amusing scenes. Her interviews with Sir Rodmond Roblin, and efforts to convince him of the injustices under which the women suffered, reduce to individual nature the world-wide conflict between the conservative and radical instinct.

An amusing feature of this crusade was the women's mock parliament held in Winnipeg, with Mrs. McClung burlesquing Roblin as premier, and the men petitioning the women for enfranchisement and liberation.

When Mrs. McClung moved to Edmonton the battle for woman suffrage had been won, and she heaped her reward in election to the Alberta Legislature. Here she was closely associated with Mrs. Kinney, the first woman to be elected to Parliament in the British Empire, though it must be admitted that she was, closely followed by British Columbia's Mary Ellen Smith, who became the Empire's first woman cabinet minister. A subsequent election reverse freed Mrs. McClung from legislative life.

She just found it interesting and stimulating, but soon another regret in wider literary and lecturing activities. One of her latest missions was that of a Canadian delegate to the League of Nations in 1933. It was a fateful year, with the shadow of Hitlerism darkening over Europe. The league proved impotent to avert the war. Still, Mrs. McClung was impressed by the nobility of its conception and the valuable work done by it in bettering international labor conditions, and the spread of hygienic knowledge and education. Her story of the league and its personalities provides an interesting chapter.

The book is imbued with the spirit of one who has earnestly desired and fought for the welfare of her fellow beings, and it is a spirit from which hope never departs. It can well be recommended, both for its interesting material and more and kindly counsel. —James Morison.

Observation

By G.B.

Car

Horace wrote: "You traverse the world in search of happiness, which is within the reach of every man. A contented mind covers it all." The Emergency Shelter Administration at Ottawa has 1,837 applications on file for accommodation.

A recent survey revealed that 50 new dwellings lie uncompleted because of government priorities on soil pipe, plumbing and electrical fixtures and doors. . . . Montreal war veterans are organizing a "D" Day Club for the purpose of holding annual reunions to commemorate the historical landing on the continent.

The RCMP at Halifax is outfitting eight Bangor-type minesweepers, four Fairmiles and 13 former harbor defence patrol craft as a fleet to combat the anticipated revival of run running. . . . Before the war the price of coconuts in the United States was \$15 per 1,000, wholesale. During the war the Office of Prices Administration set a ceiling of \$61.50. When the ceiling was lifted last month the price rose to \$250 per 1,000. . . . A Los Angeles motorist is experimenting with worn-out tires filled with concrete. So far no inventor has found a substitute for an air-filled tube.

The United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration in Germany is limited to supervision of United Nations citizens in displaced persons' camps in the British, United States and French zones. There are 5,169 workers divided into teams. Many taxis in Montreal have the right rear window handles missing. Drivers take them off in the Autumn because they claim the draft hits them in the back of the neck.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of December 4, 1920.)

Bank Clearings—Bank clearings for the week ending December 2 amounted to \$2,008,823, as against \$3,008,434 in the corresponding period last year.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of December 4, 1895.)

The City—The following are the officers elected by Victoria Lodge, I.O.O.F., for the ensuing term: A. Stewart, Maurice Salmon, treasurer, W. H. Deen, secretary, F. Davey.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of December 4, 1870.)

Horse Race—A race game came off on the Beaton, Bill course yesterday between Mr. Lancelotti "Greyhound" and Mr. Shannon's "One-Eyed Sule." The distance was 600 yards. Greyhound got the start, but the mare soon passed him and won the race by two lengths.



THE FOUNDLINGS BEGIN TO PILE UP

Douglas Bader, R.A.F., Describes Experiences

Part I

Group Captain Douglas Bader, D.F.C., R.A.F., one of the great air war personalities, lost his legs in an air accident in 1931, but became an outstanding fighter pilot. In 1941, while leading a raid over France, he was brought down and after an exciting parachute descent was made prisoner. Here is the first of a series of twelve articles on his adventures, he tells about the day he was captured.

By GROUP-CAPTAIN DOUGLAS BADER

North American Newspaper Alliance LONDON, Dec. 3.—Since the idea of an unwilling pilot being attached by one metal leg to a broken Spitfire has caused considerable laughter among some of my friends, I write this story so that others with a similar sense of humor can all have a good laugh.

The Spitfire wing of which I was in charge was located in Sussex. We took off on August 9, 1941.

Our target was in the neighborhood of Lille, where we were to meet some of our own bombers who were due to blow the daylight out of a French factory.

We were well over France when about 18 Me-109s appeared just below us. Four of us in front dived down on the leading four German fighters, and each took his opposite number.

The normal method of making such an attack was to close behind the Me-109, give him a squirt and then with one's superior speed from the dive pull up and so maintain the height advantage for further attacks.

This time, unfortunately, my judgment was very bad. I nearly collided from behind with my opposite number and I was compelled, instead of pulling up, to go on behind and down underneath him.

On getting underneath this collection of Huns I saw, a couple of thousand feet below and a short distance in front, four more Huns. I thought I might as well have a swing around with them, which I did.

As I turned away, I collided with a Me-109 on my right. It was extremely painful.

The Spitfire's nose dropped very abruptly and the stick and rudder had no feeling in them. The airplane was pointing straight downwards and twisting very slowly in a left-hand direction.

There appeared to be no fuselage behind my seat at all. In fact, the complete tail plane assembly had been removed.

Immediately I realized I was out of control. I cut the engine and the next thing was to get out.

The collision took place at about 22,000 feet and I started getting out at about 18,000 feet.

The cockpit hood was a little obstinate before it finally came away. Having undone the harness, I lifted myself up in the seat with my hands to get out.

I was surprised to feel as though I was being assisted out of the cockpit.

Other pilots who have baled out at high speed have told me there is some sort of suction which helps to pull a pilot out—rather like drawing a cork out of a bottle.

Just when everything appeared to be going smoothly and I was nearly clear, I stuck. The only clear memory I have of being held to the airplane by my right leg.

We parted company at about 4,000 feet and I seemed to shoot

upwards from the airplane, leaving my right leg behind.

I released my parachute. Just before passing through a layer of cloud about 1,000 feet from the ground, a Me-109 seemed to be rushing towards me, but it never even entered my head that he would shoot at me, and he did not. He passed about fifty yards away.

The last few hundred feet I remember very clearly seeing three rustic French figures leaning on a fence beside the field in which I was about to arrive.

I do not remember striking the ground because I was knocked out for a couple of minutes. My left leg must have struck me in the chest because I broke two ribs.

This, apart from a cut hand and a cut throat, was the only damage I suffered.

One point needs explanation. My legs are attached to me by a leather belt round my waist. The right leg which was stuck, I think by the foot, somewhere in the top of the cockpit, has a metal arm which slides into the leather belt and is held in position by perfectly normal eyelets done up like a shoe with a lace.

This was where the belt broke. The leg went straight out from my trouser leg, making a very neat split the whole way down the inside seam.

I do not recall anything between seeing the Frenchmen gazing at me and lying on the ground while three members of the Luftwaffe were removing my parachute harness before carrying me to a car.

I was driven, bleeding rather profusely from the throat, to a hospital in St. Omer.

When the artificial leg came off in the plane, I had badly bruised my own bit of leg, which had in a very limited area produced a large swelling like a tennis ball.

The German doctor seemed to want to operate on me.

The last thing I wanted was anybody, particularly a German doctor, playing around with what was left of my legs, since they had been extremely well amputated in the

beginning. The thought of this fellow leaving a scar which probably would cause endless trouble in the future loomed largely in my mind.

I suppose I was not exactly normal, because I demanded a letter form and wrote to my wife, asking her to arrange to have me repatriated quickly, since I feared for my legs, or what remained of them.

In my complete ignorance I imagined that my letter would take about three or four days to get home instead of the odd month or two, as, in fact, was the case.

The amusing thing subsequently about this injury was that it disappeared completely in two days.

A few days later some German pilots came in to see me. One of them who spoke English told me that they had heard about me but did not believe it until they actually saw me. He then said, "It would never be allowed in the Luftwaffe—a typical German observation."

I said to this fellow, "For heaven's sake, radio a message to England asking them to drop me another right leg," and at the same time would he send out some Luftwaffe bodies to try to find the leg which I had left with my Spitfire.

(To Be Continued)

Valid Ration Coupons

Sugar—Nos. 45 to 67.

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Meat—Nos. M1 to M13, inclusive.

C.F.R. EARNINGS

MONTREAL, Dec. 3 (C.P.)—Decrease of \$465,000 or 5.5 per cent was today reported by Canadian Pacific Railway Company in earnings for the nine-day period ended November 30 at \$7,932,000 compared with \$8,417,000 in the corresponding period in 1944.

Letters to Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except one signed by the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length. Unpublished correspondence cannot be returned.

VICTORIA DID WELL

Sir,—I read with considerable pleasure your editorial in this morning's paper concerning the reception and movement of the liberated

prisoners. I am particularly glad to thank you for your kind remarks about the work of the staffs in Malakaua Camp, Gordon Road Camp and Victoria Military Hospital. It was a very great pleasure for me to know that our efforts were known and appreciated and I and the members of my staff, both officers and other ranks, are indeed grateful for your kind remarks.

I also wish to endorse your remarks on the excellent work done by all the people of Greater Victoria, not only those who formed the various organizations who did so much to help the ex-prisoners in so many ways, but also the hundreds of other good people, not members of organizations, whose kind efforts and unbounded hospitality passed unnoticed. They all played a very great part in the rehabilitation and return to normal physical and mental health, of the ex-prisoners and made their stay in Victoria a pleasant memory that will, I am sure, remain with them for the rest of their lives.

I am sure that we all gained a great deal from our association with the repatriated prisoners. Their past sufferings, their gratitude for anything that was done for them, their happiness with the treatment and hospitality they received, has made a very great impression on all and we count it a privilege to have been able to serve them.

In closing, may I also compliment The Daily Colonist for the excellent reporting and photography with which this operation was covered—and also extend to you, not only on my own behalf but also on behalf of my staff and associates, our sincere thanks and very good wishes.

M. D. ROBERTSON, Lt.-Col., Commanding, Liberated Prisoners of War (Far East) Reception Camp, Malakaua Camp, Victoria, B.C., December 1, 1945.

USED XMAS CARDS

Sir,—To all who sent used cards to the war veterans in England the following communication is self-explanatory. "Dear Friend, It is with great sadness that I have to inform you of the passing of my husband, Andrew Davison, of the above address, whom you so kindly helped in the past by sending him old Christmas cards and calendars.

"Unfortunately, my own health prevents me from continuing his work, and I shall be unable to accept any cards, etc., in future. I regret my eyesight also prevents me from acknowledging letters and enquires. I wish to tender you my sincere thanks for your past help and encouragement. It would be a great help to me if you will tell your friends of my inability to carry on, and so avoid unnecessary postage.

"With all good wishes.

(Signed) ANN S. DAVISON.

(Mrs.) M. H. CRISPORD,

2845 The Rise, Victoria, B.C., December 1, 1945.

Sunrise and Sunset

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1945.

Date	Rise	Set	Date	Rise	Set
1	7:44	4:21	17	8:01	4:10
2	7:45	4:20	18	8:02	4:10
3	7:47	4:20	19	8:03	4:10
4	7:48	4:19	20	8:04	4:10
5	7:49	4:19	21	8:05	4:10
6	7:51	4:19	22	8:06	4:11
7	7:52	4:18	23	8:07	4:11
8	7:53	4:18	24	8:08	4:11
9	7:54	4:18	25	8:09	4:11
10	7:55	4:18	26	8:10	4:11
11	7:56	4:18	27	8:11	4:11
12	7:57	4:18	28	8:12	4:11
13	7:58	4:18	29	8:13	4:11
14	7:59	4:18	30	8:14	4:11
15	8:00	4:18	31	8:15	4:11

Meteorological Office, Comstock Heights, Victoria, B.C.



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PLAYER'S NAVY CUT CIGARETTES

Anti-Chlorination League Asks Early End to Federal Contract

A resolution from the Anti-Chlorination League asking that the Federal Government be requested to terminate the early termination of its agreement with Victoria for chlorination of the water supply was referred to the water board at a meeting of the city council last night.

A second letter from Harry Langley, chairman of the league, drawing attention to reports of three United States experts on the Vancouver system, which agreed that no chlorination was necessary, was also referred to the board.

Alderman T. W. Hawkins, chairman of the housing committee, notified the council that the committee proposed to spend \$650 on army huts at Clover Point to provide accommodation for evicted families.

Two families are faced with eviction in the city at present, he said.

The Victoria Joint Strike Committee informed the council in a

day here for Ford Company strikers at Windsor would be used to assist workers and their families. The letter was referred to the finance committee for a report.

Work of laying down a gravel or crushed rock sidewalk on both sides of Scott Street between Pearl and Ryan Streets was authorized. It will enable completion of the first lot of wartime housing, Ltd., dwellings for veterans. Request that the work be done came from P. Leonard-James, supervisor of wartime housing, Ltd.

SUGGESTS PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAM
Institution of a public works program was urged by Alderman Edward Williams, who thought the council was procrastinating to some extent on such work.

Alderman Williams said he believed a considerable number of men would need work in the near future, and a public works program would provide jobs.

The city should have work ready to be carried out, Mayor Percy E. George commented.

A letter outlining the Kiwanis Jubilee Hospital Campaign for \$35,000 to \$40,000 was referred to the incoming council. Mayor George commented that the hospital had received \$27,000 from the city this year.

Sale of seven lots to veterans and nine parcels of land to other buyers.

Keep Lights On Mayor's Advice

VANCOUVER, Dec. 3 (CP).—Mayor J. W. Corbett today appealed to all home owners to leave porch lights burning at front and rear all night during the winter to discourage "dark street" bandits. The mayor said cost of burning a bulb in front and rear for eight hours daily would be 25 cents a month.

recommended by the lands committee, was approved. Total sale price was \$11,826.25.

Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter, chairman, reported that total land sales for November were \$13,630, a large increase over the same month last year when the total was \$6,125. Total sales for the year were \$104,571.85 to date, compared with \$140,459.40 for the same period in 1944, he said. Sales for the same periods were 464 in 1944 and 379 this year, Alderman Hunter reported. There were 27 parcels of land sold last month, against 53 in November, 1944. Total receipts for 11 months this year were \$162,191.59, and \$184,004.49 last year. For the past month, total receipts were \$17,209.97, and last year they were \$12,025.86.

Storm Warnings Posted on Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3 (AP).—An intense cyclonic disturbance at sea, centred about 600 miles west of Eureka, Calif., brought orders today to post storm warnings from Point Conception west of Santa Barbara, Calif., to Tatoosh Island, Wash., including the inland waters of Washington and the Straits of Juan de Fuca.

The disturbance will move north-eastward, causing southerly gales and heavy rains over all coastal areas. The Weather Bureau announced. Whole gale winds are expected around exposed coastal points north of Point Arena late tonight or early Tuesday.

Says Atomic Secret Must Be Shared

NEW YORK, Dec. 3 (AP).—Harold J. Laski, chairman of the British Labor party's executive committee, said tonight "there is no nation fit to be trusted with the development of atomic energy" and declared "the organization of its future use must be international."

In a speech prepared for delivery at a dinner ending a three-day conference of "The Nation Associates," Professor Laski said: "Every implication of this discovery means planned internationalism—economic, social, political. It is an international discovery. Were this new realm to be controlled by generals or admirals, businessmen or professional administrators, it would become a kingdom of despair and not of hope."

Trade Loans

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sions then will start on the arrangements with Canada.

Earlier, Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced that "important amendments" were being made to the Government's emergency powers bill. The changes were designed to meet objections raised by the provinces at last week's meeting of the Dominion-provincial co-ordinating committee.

Discussion of the bill, originally scheduled for today, was postponed until tomorrow to enable members to study the amended bill, which is more restrictive in the conditions under which emergency powers may be used by the Government. The bill provides for a peace proclamation effective January 1, 1946.

Nuernberg Trial
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The American prosecutor introduced a memorandum from Col. Gen. Alfred Jodl, one of the defendants, to Hitler dated August 24, 1938, which he said showed Jodl's complicity in "the shameful fabrication" of an "excuse for war."

"Operation green," the memorandum said, "will be set in motion by means of an 'incident' in Czechoslovakia which will give Germany provocation for military intervention."

The Munich agreement delayed the attack, but Mr. Alderman presented documents to show that the Nazi leaders never abandoned their plans to smash their little neighbor.

About three weeks after Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain returned from Munich to utter his "peace-in-our-time" phrase, Hitler ordered the German armed forces to prepare for "the liquidation of the remainder of Czechoslovakia and the occupation of Memelland."

Hitler's treachery went even beyond the military sphere, the evidence showed. Into the growing mountain of documents went the Foreign Office minutes of a conference January 21, 1939, at which Foreign Minister Ribbentrop told the Czech Foreign Minister that a reduction in the size of the Czech Army would be a "decisive" factor in German-Czech relations.

Canadian Japs Set Up Defence Body; Protest Federal Policy

WINNIPEG, Dec. 3 (CP).—A defence committee whose immediate purpose will be to obtain a hearing for all those persons of Japanese origin who have canceled their requests for repatriation to Japan was formed here yesterday at a meeting of more than 100 persons of the Japanese race.

The meeting was called to protest the Federal Government's Japanese repatriation policy announced in the House of Commons November 21 by Labor Minister Mitchell.

At that time Mr. Mitchell said: "The Government is of the opinion that, in general, all Japanese nationals who have requested repatriation should be repatriated because it is quite clear that their loyalty is to Japan rather than to Canada."

"On the other hand," Mr. Mitchell added, "the Government is of the opinion that where any Canadian citizen of the Japanese race who applied for repatriation has subsequently submitted in writing prior to the Japan surrender on September 2, 1945, an application to cancel his repatriation request, such cancellation should be permitted."

"It is also proposed to review those cases of Canadian-born persons of the Japanese race who may have applied, subsequently to the Japanese surrender, to revoke their request to be sent to Japan."

The defence committee decided on a four-point program:

1. Study of the situation in Canada and make certain that all persons wishing to remain in Canada had sent in their cancellations.
2. Raise funds immediately in preparation for the appeal to the courts of all those who had signed cancellation requests.
3. Seek to safeguard the citizenship status of children under 16 who must accompany parents to Japan.
4. Seek out other organizations in

Scientist Declares Atomic Bomb "Means The End of World War"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 (AP).—Dr. Vannevar Bush expressed the cheering belief today that "the atomic bomb means the end of world war." The scientist who directed the development of this and other weapons as head of the National Defence Research Committee and the Office of Scientific Research and Development predicted it would take a long time to set up atomic controls.

But he told the special Senate Committee on Atomic Energy that all countries now want a long peace and this period can be used to develop the control machinery. He added that two powers armed with atomic bombs would not consider going to war against each other because the consequences would be "too terrible."

Dr. Bush testified the decision to use new incendiaries against Japanese cities was made personally by the late President Roosevelt. He later told reporters the decision to use the atomic bomb against Japan was made by President Truman during the Potsdam "Big Three" meeting last July.

adequate old age pensions, compulsory school attendance to a higher age level, an increase in the housing program on a national scale, and further development of natural resources, Mr. Wilkinson said.

Improvement of Victoria port and harbor facilities and establishment of a free trade zone would help the employment picture locally, he added.

Seeks Council Seat

Robert A. C. Dewar, who in 20 years of service on the City Council as an alderman was a member of every committee, announced yesterday that he will be a candidate for election to the council on December 13. He retired from the council in 1941.

He was also chairman of the lands committee for 14 years, and at various times chairman of the parks, fire wardens and aged men's home committees. At present Mr. Dewar is a trustee of Royal Oak Burial Park and a member of the town planning commission, and was chairman of the arena campaign committee.

A resident of Victoria since 1897, Mr. Dewar is well known to older Victorians as a lacrosse player, and as an enthusiastic follower of football, hockey, cricket and lawn bowling.

Mayhew

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high post. The most oft-repeated report on Parliament Hill is that he might be named Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario—a post held at one time by his father.

There is some talk of appointing a medical man to the Health and Welfare Department. This might see Hon. Dr. J. J. McCann go from the revenue post to the Health and Welfare Department. This would fit in with previous speculation that Hon. Brooke Claxton, present minister and former assistant to Mr. King, might take over the Prime Minister's onerous External Affairs portfolio.

Mishap Victim Fair

The condition of E.A. 4th Class F. Verville, injured along with two other servicemen when a touring car overturned at Gorge Road and Austin Avenue on Sunday night, was reported fair by attendants at the R.C.N. Hospital yesterday.

E.A. Verville, who suffered head injuries, was unconscious when admitted to the hospital late Sunday night.

The other victims, Cherie Snell, suffered minor injuries and were

ing, 23, R.C.A.P., W.D., Patricia Bay, treated at the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

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Pretty Wedding Solemnized In Glad Tidings Tabernacle

Violet Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Anastasiou, 2335 Trest Street, Victoria, exchanged marriage vows with Mr. Jack Leonard Berriaford, son of Mr. E. C. Barnes and the late Mr. Berriaford, of Winnipeg, at a pretty ceremony, solemnized Monday evening at 8 o'clock in Glad Tidings Tabernacle by Pastor E. W. Robinson.

Given in marriage by her father,

the bride was dressed in a gown of heavy white satin, fashioned with sweetheart neckline and three-quarter-length sleeves. Her mother's veil was held by gardenias in the hair.

Miss Martha Williams was maid of honor, wearing a pale yellow tulle gown. Bridesmaids were Miss Ellen Chaster, in turquoise tulle, and Miss Vivian Anastasiou, sister of the bride, in pink tulle. The two flower girls, dressed in gold tulle, were Betty Karvela and Mary Anastasiou, sister of the bride.

Mr. Dick Goodwin was groomsmen, and ushers were Petty Officer George Hunt, R.C.N.V.R., Mr. Harvey Roth, and Mr. Clifford Anastasiou, brother of the bride. A reception was held in the R. of P. Hall, Broad Street. For a honeymoon trip to the Island the bride donned a blue suit with a light brown topcoat and brown accessories. She wore an orchid corsage. Mr. and Mrs. Berriaford will reside in Victoria temporarily.

KIRCHHOFFER-TRAYERS

The marriage of Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Travers, 408 Hillside Avenue, Victoria, to Harvey Joseph Kirchhofer, Cupar, Saskatchewan, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. T. G. Griffiths performing the ceremony on the afternoon of November 30. The bride, who was given away by her father,

was beautiful in a floor-length gown of lace over satin, fashioned with fitted bodice, full skirt and sweetheart neckline, held in place with tiny silver clips, her only ornaments. Her filmy silver-becked veil was finger-tip length and she wore silver slippers. Her bouquet was American Beauty roses. Miss Dorothy Clark, bridesmaid, wore a floor-length dress of ice blue dotted swiss, with

golden 'mums. The bride's brother, Mr. Oliver Travers, was best man. After the ceremony a turkey supper was served by the bride's grandmother, Mrs. C. B. Travers, assisted by Miss Florence Smith, of Prospect Lake. The young couple will spend a few days with the groom's mother at Cupar, Saskatchewan, before going to Regina, where they will reside. For traveling, the bride chose a tan gabardine suit, camel hair topcoat, brown accessories and a red rose corsage.

Proceeds to Aid Girls' Pipe Band

A successful bazaar was held at Liberal Headquarters, Friday evening, in aid of the Victoria Girls' Pipe Band equipment fund. Net proceeds were \$236.61.

The bazaar was opened by Alderman W. H. Davies who praised the girls of the band for the fine entertainment they have given during the war. A flower show, which included solo numbers as well as selections by the band, was enjoyed.

My Neighbor Says:

Use stars, trees and other Christmas shapes cut from green peppers, pimientos or sliced cooked beets as garnishes for meats or salads during the holiday season.

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Mrs. Woodward at Inaugural Ceremony



MRS. W. C. Woodward, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, received a bouquet of roses from Mrs. J. C. Bowen, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, when she flew from Victoria to Vancouver on Saturday afternoon for the inaugural ceremony of a new Trans-Canada Air Lines fourth daily flight from Vancouver to Lethbridge and connecting with a

new fourth daily intercity flight from Lethbridge to Calgary and Edmonton.

A letter expressing the feeling that the additional service would serve to strengthen the bonds of closer understanding and friendship between the two provinces accompanied the gift presented by Stewardess Helen Smith, R.N., shown above with Mrs. Woodward.

Cable From King

CABLED congratulations from Their Majesties the King and Queen highlighted the diamond wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stephenson, 2609 Doncaster Drive, yesterday.

In addition to their cable from the King and Queen Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson had a congratulatory letter from Prime Minister Mackenzie

W. Mayhew, M.P., and Mrs. Mayhew.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. H. Biney, Washington, D.C., are guests at the Empress Hotel while visiting in Victoria.

Miss D. Hagedorn, Santa Barbara, is visiting in the city and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Arbuckle, of Vancouver, are visitors in the city and guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. H. A. Chisholm, of Havana, Cuba, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Peter MacNaughton, St. Mary's Priory, Government Street.

Li-Col. N. A. Fellowes, Montreal and Major and Mrs. Robinson, Ottawa, are among Eastern Canadian visitors spending a few days at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Robert Ferguson and her son, Allan, will leave today to join Lt. Lieut. Ferguson in Toronto. They have been visiting Mrs. Ferguson's mother, Mrs. Harry Carter, May Street.

Vancouver visitors spending a few days in the city and guests at the Empress Hotel include Mrs. Stanley Burke, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wood, Mrs. D. N. Hocking and Mrs. Ann Christy.

Miss Jane Ridewood, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Ridewood, of Victoria, made her formal bow to Eastern Canadian society when she curried before the Governor-General, the Earl of Athlone, and Her Royal Highness Princess Alice at the annual St. Andrew's Ball in the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, Friday night. The pretty Victoria debutante wore a gown of white tulle styled with light bodice and full skirt. Her bouquet was of gardenias.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. P. Playne, 240 Vernon Street, in honor of Gordon (Steve) Ballantyne, who was recently discharged from the navy. Among those attending were Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Playne, Mrs. Cuthbert, Mr. and Mrs. G. Robertson and son, Robbie, Lenora and Jean Menzies, Margaret Playne, Dot Noble, Stella McLennan, Joan Buckingham, George Evans, Allan McLean, Frank Cotton, Bill Brett, Jack Fountain and Carl Sletman.

As a farewell to Mrs. Charles Dillon who is leaving for Ottawa on Tuesday, Mrs. Harry Bapty, Victoria, entertained a few guests recently at the Central Hall, Salt Spring Island. Following badminton games the guests were entertained to supper at "Barabury." Among those present were Mrs. V. Graham, Mrs. Lois Hayes, Mrs. T. Smith, Miss Vivien Layard, Mr. W. H. Bradley, Mr. Alan and Mr. Raymond Best, Mr. Nels Degnan and Mr. Roland Trille.

WELCOME BACK DANCE

The Omphalos Club of the Y.W.C.A. made final arrangements to hold a "Welcome back" dance in honor of all the servicemen returning to Victoria and to civilian life, at a recent meeting. It will be held on Tuesday, December 4, at the Y.W.C.A., and will start at 8:30, continuing until 11:30. Refreshments will be served, and there will be several novelty dances.

Gracie Allen Goes Shopping

By GRACIE ALLEN
Consolidated News Features
Well, my goodness! Yesterday I decided to do my Christmas shopping early in comfort to avoid the crowds. Believe me, next year I'm going to do my shopping late and avoid the comfort. I've never been so mauled and shoved in my life. One little old lady said to me, "Isn't this thrilling? Four years of wartime Christmas and now at last a Christmas of peace." I never got a chance to answer, because just then a mob descended on the poor old dear and swept her up on the notions counter, where she was very nearly sold for \$1.39.

And a little soldier boy was very bitter because he couldn't get to the stocking counter to buy his mother her Christmas present. "How do they expect me to get through those women?" he asked me. "I've only had eight weeks of basic training!"

CONSUMER'S RATION COUPON CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURSDAY	FRI	SAT
						1
2	3	4	5	6 BUTTER COUPON 132	7	8
9	10	11	12	13 BUTTER COUPON 133	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 PRESERVES COUPONS P22, P23, P24, P25	21	22
23	24	25	26	27 BUTTER COUPON 135	28	29
30	31					

Instead of 1 sugar coupon and 2 preserves coupons coming good in December, there will be 4 preserves coupons. This is for two reasons:

1. It is convenient to finish the P coupons at the end of the year.

2. Any consumer who prefers rationed preserves to sugar at the Christmas season will be able to get them.

Therefore, in addition to P22 and P23 which ordinarily become good in December, P24 and P25 will also become good instead of a sugar coupon.

As usual the four preserves coupons are good for 1/2 pound of sugar each if desired, so with the two extra coupons (P24 and P25) there is no reduction in the sugar ration.

Married Women To Lose Jobs

OTTAWA, Dec. 3 (CP)—Marriage of any female employee in the civil service may result in the loss of her position under a revised rule of the Civil Service Commission, it was learned today.

While no definite policy has yet been laid down regarding dismissal of married women taken on civil service payrolls during the war emergency, the new rule would require that the question probably would be settled very shortly. It was expected married women would be the first to be dismissed to make way for returning veterans.

Y.W.C.A. Notes

A planning conference for the annual Girls' Hi-Y Midwinter Conference was held in Victoria recently, when delegates from Vancouver were Mrs. Nora Carlson, Vancouver Girls' Hi-Y secretary; Miss Shirley Arnold, Miss Betty Buckland, Miss Peggy Aveling, Miss Helen Sookin, Miss Leonora Hutchinson, Miss Pam McCormick and Miss Anna Madson. Discussion meetings were held at the Y.W.C.A. with Miss Dorothy Willis as chairman.

Sunday afternoon musicale at the Y.W.C.A. featured the music of George Gershwin, presented by Miss Edith Boutalspacher. Miss Jean Glendinning will present a program of Czech-Slovakian music, Sunday.

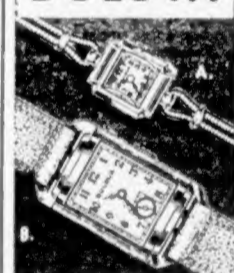
Reunion Dance

All ex-Victoria High School students who served in the forces—1939-45—have been invited to a reunion and dance at the school on the evening of Thursday, December 27. Admission is by invitation only, and each person may bring one guest of the opposite sex.

Ex-students may write or phone Victoria High School (E2411) for invitations stating name, address, and service (Army, Navy, Air Force). Requests should be in not later than December 21.



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Well-Known Hotel Manager Dies

VANCOUVER, Dec. 3 (CP)—Miss Marguerite de Gussemme, 57, for 19 years manager of a hotel at Harrison Hot Springs, died in hospital here today.

Born in Cost-Flanders, Belgium, Miss de Gussemme went to England during the First Great War, later traveling to Canada, where she became an employee of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Miss de Gussemme was the only woman who ever held the presidency of the Vancouver Board of Trade.

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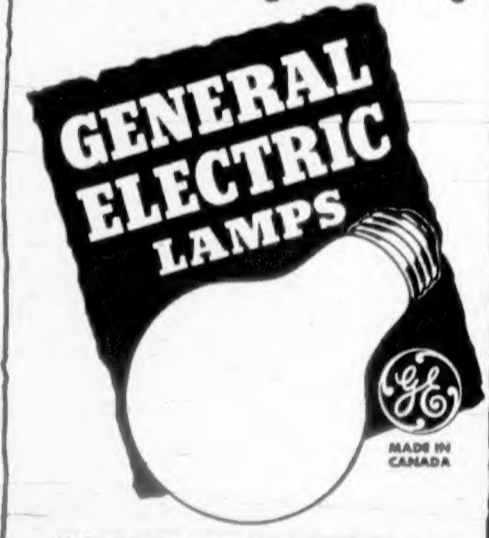
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High mark in the comedy line was "Ignorance Is Bliss," a satiric comment on honeymoon manners, circa 1890 and again in 1945, every gesture and every word of the

talent curtain number "This Is Our Dream of England," the show was of professional calibre and held its audience. Producer, Lieut. Arthur Lane, R.N.V.R., insists on quality and fast pace, and gets it.

Another musical novelty was "Eight Hands in Harmony." Cleverly handled, with a cool restful setting, this featured four pianos and four violins playing Jerome Kern's "All

the Things You Are" and "Sweet and Lovely," and others. INSTRUMENTALISTS ARE STAR PERFORMERS.

Phil Barker, the tenor wizard, was a star performer; Geoffrey Riley, a master of the xylophone, another, and Gerald Delmonte, accordion expert, a third.

Cliff Clayton and Ricky Johnson, a fun-loving, fun-making pair, appeared on several occasions to bring more laughs to an already amused audience.

"Victor Herbert Memory" was an amazingly graceful number, that probably aroused a little uneasiness, at least among feminine members of the audience, if they realized that every performer was a man. Sweathed in yards of chiffon they executed a ballet that was graceful, as only women should be. "Kiss Me Again" was the delightful solo number here.

Tommie Rose, who showed his tall willowy grace and pseudo-femininity to advantage in "I Want to Appear as a Man," and in several feminine roles, was a favorite with the audience. He has undeniable skill and even glamour.

In pleasing contrast was the finale, showing the men in sparkling whites, against a backdrop of a battleship. "What do you think of England, sailor on distant shore," they chorused to the accompaniment of the excellent orchestra under Bandmaster R. A. Hobbs. To Lieutenant Michael Mills, R.N.V.R., stage director, and to Com. Bandmaster K. A. McLean, L.R.A.M., R.N., goes much of the credit for assisting Lieutenant Arthur Lane in the excellent production of "Tokio Express."

ALL NON-PROFESSIONALS PLAYED IN EUROPE.

All the members of the cast, with the exception of Lieutenant Lane, are non-professionals, and they have done sea-time. They are real sailors. Before playing Victoria they toured Europe, playing to homecast service-men in France, Belgium and Germany, and later the British Isles.

Mr. Walter Loney spoke on behalf of the Solarium directors, thanking the performers for their efforts on behalf of the hospital, to which all proceeds will be given. He also thanked Rear Admiral V. C. Broder, R.C.N., and Captain Walker, senior Royal Navy officer here, for giving permission for the show appearing here.

"Tokio Express" will again be presented tonight, and it would be a mistake to miss it.

Pantomime Plans Are Progressing

Miss K. Mallory reported that plans for the pantomime, "Jack and the Beanstalk," are progressing at the Solarium Junior League meeting, Monday evening at the Y.W.C.A. The pantomime will be produced at the Royal Victoria Theatre on the evenings of December 14 and 15, with a matinee on the afternoon of the 15th.

A detailed report on the Polka Dot party was given by Mrs. D. McRae, and it was announced that the show would be repeated Wednesday, December 5, at the Sirocco. The committee financial statement showed a balance of \$121.85.

Arrangements were made for the Snowball Frolic being held at the Empress Hotel, December 26, commencing at 7:30 p.m.

Bette Davis Married at Riverside

Screen Star Bette Davis and William Grant Sherry, 31-year-old artist and former wrestler, who were married recently at Riverside, California. Bette Davis was widowed in 1943, when Arthur Farnsworth, whom she married in 1940, died after a fall. Sherry, recently discharged from the navy, is shown with his dog Simba.

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Toastmistress Presidents Discuss Charter

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Sir James Douglas P-T.A. will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium, when Miss Violet Wilson will speak on her experiences in the North country. The school nurse will speak.

Happy Valley P-T.A. will discuss plans for the Christmas concert at the meeting, Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the school.

Executive of the Intermediate group of the Musical Art Society met recently at the home of Mrs. R. D. McCaw, with the president, Miss Shirley Gunn, in the chair. Final plans were made for the coming concert of the branch to be held Saturday, December 8, at the Victoria Truth Centre. Robin Wood, the talented young pianist, will perform; and the Philomel Choral Group, under the leadership of Mrs. W. H. Wilson, will sing. Announcement was made of a dance on December 27, to be sponsored by the intermediate branch, at the Gobbins.

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Dominion Holds Strong Position in Aviation

(Canada's postwar aviation plans, seen through American eyes, are set forth in the following article written by James J. Mering, aviation editor of The Associated Press, after a visit to the Dominion.)

By JAMES STREIBIG

NEW YORK, (CP)—Canada, straddling the great circle flight routes from the United States to Europe and the Orient, hopes to become as

important in the air as it is on the ground.

Government policy for achieving that goal is based on three-point program:

1. Continued improvement of its transport system to meet the needs of a vast and thinly populated country.

2. Development of aviation research facilities through its National Research Council.

Canadian airmen generally are solidly behind those aims as outlined by the Dominion's top man in aviation, Reconstruction Minister Howe.

But there is a disagreement with the plan because it involves a non-competitive program for air transport.

Some opponents of Mr. Howe's plan call it monopoly. Others, who favor nationalization of public services, say it does not go far enough. Some believe it will retard growth of per centime aircraft manufacturing because if each carrier is exclusive in its field it will not be spared to replace obsolete plans.

Many, including Mr. Howe, take the attitude that in any event Canada cannot expect to compete in world markets for planes against countries which have been building transports for years. The Dominion has but one native craft in that field, the Noorduyn Norseman.

PLAN OUTLINED

The Canadian air transport plan briefly is this:

The government will own all main line air services, both domestic and international. Feeder lines and charter services—this latter being largely the "bush" flying which means so much to mining and trapping—will be privately owned and operated, but there must be no competition. That is, there may not be two air lines between the same two points.

The government is prepared to subsidize feeder services—as well as overseas flying—when necessary.

Virtually all of Canada's scheduled air services now are owned by its two large railroad systems.

Trans-Canada Air Lines, which

operates the trans-continental service, is owned by Canadian National Railways, which is owned by the government.

Canadian Pacific Airways, which operates 57 of the 68 routes not on T.C.A., is owned by Canadian Pacific Railway.

The government has decided air and surface carriers must be divorced, although the order has not yet been issued.

Canada has done a remarkable job in developing main line air transport, largely under the direction of Herbert J. Symington, T.C.A. president.

Occasionally services have been saved, as Mr. Howe himself says, by the support of the C.P.R., which took over many half-starved small operations.

Opposition members in Parliament have asked what would happen to those small operations when C.P.R. is forced to sell the property.

T.C.A. has no major problem in a divorce. It still will be owned by the government and will have by decree the best routes in Canada.

This point raises a big question for C.P.A.'s future: What will happen when a secondary or feeder route is built up to main line proportions?

Take as an example the C.P.A. route from Montreal to Quebec and on up the St. Lawrence river. What if T.C.A. should decide that the Montreal-Quebec segment is a main line route and take it over, leaving the less juicy segments for the independent operator?

Mr. Howe told me in an interview that T.C.A. would use around 100 two-engine transports for domestic services and 50 four-engine planes on trans-continental and international routes.

TO BUILD AIRCRAFT

Canada expects eventually to supply its own aircraft. In the meantime it is converting U.S. Army C-47s (Douglas DC-3 type) for T.C.A. to supplement the Lockheed which have been standard equipment.

For overseas operations, T.C.A. will continue to use converted Lancaster bombers, which carry only 10 passengers. Canadianair Ltd., at Montreal is working on a modification of the DC-4 Skymaster for eventual use on trans-ocean flights. This plane is expected to go into service in 1947.

It will have more power than the original Skymaster, and the fuselage will be lengthened slightly. Canadianair engineers expect cruising

speed of more than 300 miles an hour.

Noorduyn Aviation, Ltd., at Montreal is building a postwar model of its Norseman on a three-a-month schedule, compared with a prewar average of one plane a month to fill U.S. Air Force orders for 750.

Noorduyn also built 2,800 "Harvards," a training plane. At present the company is designing a new type trainer for the R.C.A.P. in competition with other designers. A commercial version is under consideration.

Canada never has had an aircraft engine industry. "Here's hoping," little expectation one will be developed immediately, but work is being done on a turbo-jet project at Montreal.

The Dominion is giving a great deal of attention to research. The National Research Council has built a new laboratory of 17 buildings outside of Ottawa. Its budget for the last fiscal year was \$1,988,993.

Projects are largely those involving problems peculiar to Canadian flying, such as icing, aircraft skis and floats. One of the current projects attracting interest is a tailless glider which very closely resembles a flying wing built in the United States. A one-third scale model will be flown soon at the laboratory.

Explains Benefits

Out-of-work benefits granted by the Department of Veterans' Affairs are not deductible from veterans' re-establishment credits, H. Okell, rehabilitation officer, stated yesterday. He said that many persons might not be applying for

the benefits because they were under the impression that they would lose their credits.

Mr. Okell pointed out veterans were eligible for the benefits 39 days after discharge. This represented the period covered by the rehabilitation grant of one month's pay after discharge, plus a period of

nine days, he pointed out.

Out-of-work benefits can only be granted for two weeks at a time. Mr. Okell explained, and with each application a veteran is required to have a certificate from the Employment Service showing that there is no suitable work available for him. Applications for the benefit are

received at any time within 18 months after discharge, and may be paid for 52 weeks, or the veteran's length of service, whichever is the shorter period.

For single men, the benefit amounts to \$50 a month, and for married men \$70 a month, plus allowances for children.

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NORTH
 ♠ 8 5 4
 ♥ 9 3
 ♦ 7 2
 ♣ J 10 8 3 2

EAST
 ♠ A Q 10 8 3
 ♥ —
 ♦ —
 ♣ Q J 10 4

SOUTH
 ♠ 2
 ♥ A K Q J 10 7 6 5 2
 ♦ 8 6 3
 ♣ —

This was the bidding of the four experts in the game:

West North East South
 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠ 3 ♠
 Pass Pass 4 ♠ 5 ♠
 5 ♠ Pass 6 ♠ 8 ♠
 Pass Pass 8 ♠ 7 ♠
 Double Pass Pass Pass

There was nothing to the play—West led trumps to prevent any diamond ruffing, and the seven-heart sacrifice contract was defeated 1300 points, less South's 150 honors.

This was not a bad bargain for North-South, since they had stopped

a vulnerable slam, but from the East-West point of view the outcome was even more satisfactory, because they had escaped the dangerous pitfall of persisting to a grand slam in spades and losing every vestige of profit.

Both East and West bid well, but the latter particularly distinguished himself. I commend his individual bids and passes, as well as his final double, to my readers' attention. Let's analyze:

The diamond opening, though entirely justified, was light; so despite the good support for East's spade suit, shown by a jump response, West logically remained silent over three hearts.

(Incidentally, South might have bought the contract cheaper by jumping to four or five hearts.) After East cue-bid hearts, however, to show control and further confirm possession of a powerhouse, West came in freely over South's five-heart interference bid to announce readiness to support the spade suit.

On the next round West made the correct forcing pass to South's obvious sacrifice bid of six hearts. This pass told East that it was all right with West if six spades were bid, but when East took that action and South still persisted in saving, West felt sure that his side had gone as far as it could with safety, hence he doubled as a vital warning against a grand slam in spades.

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13th (R.) FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C.

Orders by Lt. Col. A. B. Nash, Commanding.

Duties for week ending December 8—Orderly officer, 2-Lt. (Q.M.) R. V. Jenkin; orderly N.C.O., Lt.-Cpl. J. L. Hellyer; next for duty, Sgt. M. M. Gold.

Parades—Friday, morning and evening classes cancelled. A unit dinner will be held at the Elk's Hall commencing at 19:00 hours. Tuesday: Monthly meeting of officers, N.C.O.'s and specialists at the Armoury, 20:00 hours.

R.C.A.S.C. (Attached)

Parades—Same orders apply as above.

J. E. MOORE, Capt. For Officer Commanding 13th (Reserve) Field Ambulance, R.C.A.M.C.

Don't Try to Treat Your Ailment Yourself

By Dr. J. B. WARREN

Some years ago a chemist invented a machine from which, by inserting a coin, one might get a bottle of medicine or some pills for any ailment with which he was afflicted. This took for granted that the patient knew exactly his ailment.

Most patients who consult a physician do not know what is causing their symptoms, so do not know what treatment they need.

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LONDON (CP)—L. J. Whitley had his trousers caught in the escalator at a department store. They were jammed so tightly that he got out of them, behind blankets, and the store found him a new pair.



The sacrifice of our fighting men made it possible for Canadians to enjoy the privacy and safety of their homes. Now, thousands of young Canadians who made that sacrifice are unable to find accommodation for themselves and their families.

This is an appeal to all who have available space in their homes to assist in the present housing emergency, by providing family accommodation for veterans. One, two or possibly three rooms during the coming winter will aid greatly in the re-

establishment of one of our fighting men and his family. In addition, it will provide a steady source of income to you, for Canada's veterans are solid young Canadians who will meet their obligations and pay their rent regularly.

You are asked to make this accommodation available only during this period of emergency. Realistic steps are being taken to meet the housing shortage and the situation will be greatly improved by next spring.

GIVE THE VETERANS A BREAK!

Landlords, all who have accommodation for rent, are asked to give preference to veterans and their families. It's the least we can do, when we remember all they have done for us.

MRS. HOUSEHOLDER, YOU CAN DO IT!

Many householders across Canada who have never rented before, are now opening their homes to veterans. Their experience is that these people are as responsible as the average civilian.

If you have space which you can make available, list it with the Citizens' Rehabilitation Committee, or the local branch of the Canadian Legion; advertise it in the newspapers or list it with a real estate agent. Inquire at the nearest Rentals Office of the Wartime

Prices and Trade Board about five months or less rental agreements. These are exempt from normal Wartime Prices and Trade Board non-aviation regulations, and five months tenancy will help many veterans through the winter.

CHAIRMAN OF THE CITIZENS' REHABILITATION COMMITTEE OF GREATER VICTORIA
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 Bert Pearl and the Gang

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Now, mother, when your child catches a cold, do what so many millions of experienced mothers do—call on dependable Vicks VapoRub for help.

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British Stocks

LONDON, Dec. 3.—British stock exchange closed with a mixed picture. The main index, the Industrial Average, was 424.14, down 1.14 points from the previous day's close. The main index, the Industrial Average, was 424.14, down 1.14 points from the previous day's close.

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—The Montreal stock exchange closed with a mixed picture. The main index, the Industrial Average, was 100.14, down 1.14 points from the previous day's close.

Closing Averages

TORONTO: Industrial Average 100.14, down 1.14 points from the previous day's close.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The Canadian dollar was unchanged at a discount of 3 1/2 per cent in terms of United States funds.

Toronto Unlisted Mines

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Canadian Bonds

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B. of M. URGES CLEAR-SIGHTED VISION, ACTION

Mental Changeover Important In Problems of Reconversion President Tells Shareholders

GEORGE W. SPINNEY STRESSES URGENCY OF ACTION AT BANK OF MONTREAL'S 128th ANNUAL MEETING

MONTREAL, Dec. 4.—Emphasizing the urgency of the mental and economic problems of the transition period, George W. Spinney, C.M.G., president of the Bank of Montreal, told the shareholders at their 128th annual meeting yesterday that few companies can step into the new world of the post-war period without a mental changeover. He said that the bank's policy was to provide a "mental changeover" for its shareholders, and that the bank's policy was to provide a "mental changeover" for its shareholders.

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"Someone Has to Plough and Reap" To Bring About Social Security Says Bank of Montreal President

George W. Spinney Sees Need for Water Security Programmes in Canadian Economy

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Flexibility, Imagination Necessary in Days Ahead George W. Spinney Says

Bank President Tells Meeting Some Lending Facilities of Bank Being Made Broad as Possible

The necessity for certain controls has not yet passed, George W. Spinney, president of the Bank of Montreal, told the shareholders at their annual meeting yesterday. He urged, however, that those restrictions which remain be subject to the closest scrutiny in order to provide the widest possible opportunities for competitive and creative effort.

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War Has Stressed Adaptability Of Canadian Banking System Says B. of M. General Manager

B. C. GARDNER OUTLINES WAR ADJUSTMENTS FACILITATING PRODUCTION AND FINANCING

Says Bank of Montreal Emerges From War in Strong Position to Meet Needs of Requirements of Its Customers

MONTREAL, Dec. 4.—The Bank of Montreal, which has emerged from the war in a strong position to meet the needs of its customers, has outlined the adjustments it has made to facilitate production and financing. The bank's general manager, B. C. Gardner, said that the bank's policy was to provide a "mental changeover" for its shareholders, and that the bank's policy was to provide a "mental changeover" for its shareholders.

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Envoy's Wife Dazzles Ottawa

OTTAWA, Dec. 2 (CP).—One of the most exotic newcomers to Ottawa's diplomatic row is blonde, chic Mme. Martha Leguizamón-Pondal, wife of the new Argentine ambassador to Canada.

A fashion enthusiast, she designs her own clothes and her couturière in Buenos Aires made up her wardrobe from her own sketches and suggestions. A glimpse at this

wardrobe promises a dazzling addition to the capital's first postwar social season.

Speaking in French—she is studying to perfect her English—she told in an interview of her pleasure at coming to Canada and her philosophy of dress—glamorous.

For the interview slim, young Mme. Leguizamón-Pondal wore a black tailored suit trimmed with

military braid and a pure silk, hand-made yellow blouse.

"I just love hats," she declared, and after she had modelled 20 creations she had brought with her, she was anxious to know whether Ottawa would like them.

To say the least, Ottawa should sit up and take notice when the avante Argentinean appears in a tall, white hat with five ostrich plumes, sweeping down beneath her chin.

She carries a large ostrich muff to match, and to complete the picture,

wears a black satin two-piece dress with an interesting bustle effect.

FAVORS TALL HATS

The capital will see much of Mme. Leguizamón-Pondal's hats, for she likes nothing but a tall, exclusive model. She wears a large hat of green cock feathers as naturally and as unaffectedly as a schoolgirl wears a beret.

Clever craftsmanship went into the working of beads, sequins and pearls which decorate nearly all of

her evening and most of her afternoon clothes.

Although most of her gowns are black, she uses color effectively. A vivid purple dress is one of her favorites.

A feature of her wardrobe of particular interest to Canadians is her extensive collection of hand-made shoes. This made-to-order footwear costs as little as \$12 in Argentina—here you would pay \$30.

Of Belgian and French descent, young Mme. Leguizamón-Pondal and

her husband, Horonio, were married four years ago. Their pride and joy is a two-and-a-half-year-old son, Horonio, Jr.

Besides dress designing, the new ambassador's wife's hobby is interior decorating and the furnishings and decorations of her home in Buenos Aires were planned by her down to the last ash tray.

To Hold Last Rites

Full military honors will be paid the late Col. Clarence V. Bishop, well-known permanent army officer, who died suddenly on Saturday at his home, 621 Newport Avenue.

The military funeral will take place from Esquimalt Garrison Church at 2 p.m. today. It had previously been reported in error that the funeral would be held today.

ITALIAN PAINTING

The Italian painting exhibition at the Esquimalt Art Association is now open to the public. The exhibition is a collection of works by Italian artists, including a number of masterpieces.



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VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1945

SPORTS SLANTS

By SID THOMAS

YOUTHFUL TOPPERS DOING QUITE WELL

Youngest team in the Victoria and District Football League, Manager Jim Watt's Toppers are continuing to do well in their first season in football.

In their first season the Toppers jumped from the "underdog" ranks to second place in the league. They have won four games and lost one.

Consistent effort has been the key to the Toppers' success. They have played well in all their games, and their defense has been particularly strong.

As we mentioned before, Toppers are playing their first season in football, and we are prepared to state that they are doing quite well.

They have a good team, and they are playing well. They have a good defense, and they are playing well. They have a good offense, and they are playing well.

BOXING CLUB MAKING WORTHWHILE EFFORT

Reorganization of a sport which has been dormant for some time is being made by the Victoria Amateur Boxing Club.

The club has been reorganized, and they are now making a worthwhile effort in the sport. They have a good team, and they are playing well.

Van Morrison, one of the club's best fighters, is making a good record. He has won several fights, and he is playing well.

From the time I took over the club, I have been making a good record. I have won several fights, and I am playing well.

There is a good spirit in the club, and we are making a good record. We have won several fights, and we are playing well.

Tommy Fielding, a Victoria fighter, has been making a good record. He has won several fights, and he is playing well.

Frank Rowe, another Victoria fighter, has been making a good record. He has won several fights, and he is playing well.

Red McMillan, a Victoria fighter, has been making a good record. He has won several fights, and he is playing well.

Billie Fielding, a Victoria fighter, has been making a good record. He has won several fights, and he is playing well.

Bob Peden, a Victoria fighter, has been making a good record. He has won several fights, and he is playing well.

Mooney's Auto Body Shop is making a good record. They have won several fights, and they are playing well.

Northwestern Cage Quintette Gains Decisive Triumph

Trounces Sprinkling Tailors, 43-20—K.V.'s Turn Back Students, 31-28—Comets Win

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Local Hunters Bag 350-Pound Mule Deer in Cariboo



Earl Lena (left) and Dacht Errett, 626 Pandora Avenue, are pictured above with the 350-pound mule deer they bagged on a hunting trip in the Cariboo. Making the trophy expedition, the Victoria sportsmen bagged a 350-pound mule deer and two moose. The animal pictured above is a yearling and the hunters have a spread of 20 1/2 inches. More than 11,000 deer and moose have been taken this year in the Cariboo.

Maple Leafs Rally to Defeat Chicago Squad

Two Third-Period Markers Give Toronto 5-3 Triumph—Detroit and Bruins Battle to Tie

HOW THEY STAND: Goals: W.L.D.F.A.P. Canadiens 8 4 0 48 36 18 Detroit 7 4 1 39 27 15 Chicago 7 2 1 31 22 46 15 Boston 6 2 2 40 33 14 Toronto 4 1 0 42 32 9 Rangers 3 1 0 31 51 7

SUNDAY'S SCORES: Toronto 5, Chicago 3. Detroit 2, Boston 2. Next game, Wednesday, Chicago at Boston.

CHICAGO DEFEATED TORONTO 3-5. The Maple Leafs rallied to defeat the Chicago squad, 5-3, in a game that was decided in the third period. The Leafs scored two goals in the third period, while the Bruins scored one.

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Toppers, Nanaimo Chalk Up Wins in Football Fixtures

Former Edges V.M.D., 2-1—Up-Islanders Hand Wests First Setback of Season, 6-1

HOW THEY STAND: Goals: W.L.D.F.A.P. Wests 6 1 0 23 15 14 Toppers 5 3 0 19 16 10 V.M.D. 4 1 1 27 21 9 Nanaimo 3 1 0 14 16 8 Navy 3 2 2 27 34 6 Legion 1 8 1 10 32 3

SUNDAY'S SCORES: Toppers 2, V.M.D. 1. Nanaimo 3, Wests 1. Up-Islanders 6, Navy 1. Legion 8, Wests 1.

THE TOPPERS' VICTORY. The Toppers won their game against the V.M.D. squad, 2-1, in a game that was decided in the third period. The Toppers scored two goals in the third period, while the V.M.D. scored one.

THE NANAIMO VICTORY. The Nanaimo squad won their game against the Up-Islanders, 3-1, in a game that was decided in the third period. The Nanaimo scored three goals in the third period, while the Up-Islanders scored one.

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Unbeaten Army Tops Press Poll

NEW YORK DEC. 3.—Army's great football team unbeaten and untied the last two years was unanimously acclaimed today by sports writers throughout the United States as the best college eleven in the country.

Following the Cadeis, 32-13 victory over Navy Saturday to retain the mythical national championship all of the 116 scribes participating in the final Associated Press weekly poll put Army first. The Cadeis thus pulled a perfect 1160 points.

Navy's fine showing against the West Pointers after the first quarter brought the Midshipmen a second and third-place vote to edge Alabama's Rose Bowl-bound team for the runner-up spot. The Midshipmen finished with 932 points in Alabama's 932.

Final tabulation: 1. Army; 2. Navy; 3. Alabama; 4. Indiana; 5. Oklahoma A&M; 6. Michigan; 7. St. Mary's; 8. Penn. State; 9. Notre Dame; 10. Texas.

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I.O.O.F. Banquet, Saturday December 8, 1930 Y.W.C.A. Gifts for everyone Afternoon tea

Bombers Will Split \$5,000

TORONTO, Dec. 3 (CP).—Winnipeg Blue Bombers will split among 27 players a \$5,000 share of an \$18,000 gate built by 18,630 cash customers at Saturday's East-West final, it was disclosed tonight.

Bombers lost the game, 35-0, but the \$5,000 split represents the highest percentage for Bombers in their years of Grey Cup competition.

The \$5,000 split was the estimated Winnipeg portion after deducting \$3,000 to cover expenses for the trip east.

Art Chipman, Winnipeg president, told reports that at the start of the season he informed the 48 aspirants for the club it would be a strictly amateur year and "anybody that wants to hang up his uniform can do so right now."

Instead, the "All-Winnipeg" decided to stick with the team, and though they didn't collect a "red cent" in the regular season, the 27 regular members now will get a piece of the \$5,000 East-West melon.

Another post-mortem on Saturday's one-sided contest at Varsity Stadium was the announcement by 225-pound Chas McCance that he's played his last football. The Bomber captain, long-time spark of the Winnipeg team, said his only regret is that Bombers had to suffer such overwhelming defeat under Coach A. H. (Bert) Warwick.

Bay Meadows Racing

BAY MEADOWS, Dec. 3.—Race results follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs
Roman Home (Peterson) \$10.90 \$5.70 \$4.80
Vegas Terry (Cassidy) 14.80 12.20
Gay Chase (Baker) 29.40
Scratched: Costa, Ego Soup, Sir Gay, Daisie La Vista

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Dionon (Peterson) \$6.10 \$3.70 \$3.00
Snowball (Huron) 5.40 4.20
Tobias Plying (Broadbent) 13.00
Scratched: Ambrose, Man o' Chance

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Gay Helios (Peterson) \$7.10 \$4.80 \$3.10
Touche Ide (Broadbent) 7.80 4.80
Vegas Town (Cassidy) 7.20

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Faire (Clugan) \$12.60 \$5.10 \$2.80
Hattie De Bore (Tison) 4.10 2.30
High Sierra (Horton) 2.10

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Joe Berger (Tison) \$8.70 \$4.90 \$3.70
Star Mardie (Swaggett) 4.70 3.70
Easy Gold (Huron) 8.70
Scratched: Valma Gino, Lucky Shovels, O.K. Charlie, Meru Mist

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs
Stronghold (Tison) \$9.50 \$5.70 \$2.70
Brave Marine (Cassidy) 4.80 3.80
Jocile Heat (Peterson) 4.80

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Frodo (W. Bailey) \$6.90 \$3.80 \$2.70
Jasta Wreck (Peterson) 6.00 3.30
Dione Flag (Cassidy) 2.80

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and three-sixteenths
Dolly Man (Hollmann) \$5.40 \$4.20 \$3.40
Arduor (Tison) 7.20 4.50
Reigh Reigh (Broadbent) 6.30

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs
Feather Fan 111
Jolly Jockey 112
Dollie Heat 113
Pia Soup 114
Scratched: Carlin, Carlin

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Pomper June 114
Patsy Valley 98
Kemp 115
Fah Fah 116
Venus 117
First Prize 118
Human Warrior 119
Run Goole 120

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Loren 120
Tom Dine 117
Snack Lead 119
Randy Rite 117

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Gold Amber 108
Eloha B. 121
Elmer Lad 118
Tina Tina 101
Scratched: Blot 112

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Beech O Pine 114
War Gullant 117
Fountain 111
Gusto 112
Scratched: De Rush 112

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs
Dor Martie 109
King Agent 109
Borra Fox 114
Furnable 111
All Path 118
Bill Bartlett 113
Bon Cherie 109
Hast Bull 120

SEVENTH RACE—One mile
Plying Thunder 111
Palmera T. 110
Stalera 116
On Down 109
No Winkles 110

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

NINTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

TENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

ELEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twelfth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Thirteenth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Fourteenth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Fifteenth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
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Sixteenth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
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Seventeenth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
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Eighteenth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Nineteenth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
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Twentieth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-first RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-second RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-third RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-fourth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-fifth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-sixth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-seventh RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-eighth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Twenty-ninth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Thirtieth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Thirty-first RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Thirty-second RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Thirty-third RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
Bemal 108
Liedvin 111
Burning Stick 120

Thirty-fourth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
Loretta Rose 112
Tairall Run 108
Elmston 121
Royal Casino 120
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Thirty-sixth RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Grenadier 120
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Chinook Club Party At Crystal Garden

Well over 100 members and friends are expected at the Chinook Club supper and "Old Western Night," which will be held this evening in the lower ballroom of the Crystal Garden, commencing at 7 o'clock.

Arrangements have been completed for a gala evening, with the Western Drifters providing the en-

tertainment and music for the dance, which will follow the dinner.

Harris Is Named Yakima Manager

YAKIMA, Wash., Dec. 3 (AP).—Appointment of Spencer Harris, Coast League outfield veteran, as manager of the Yakima entry in the revived Western International Baseball League, was announced today by Fred-

erick Mercer, Jr., club owner. Mercer telegraphed the news from Chicago.

Harris formerly played for Philadelphia and Chicago of the American League, Minneapolis of the American Association, and with Seattle, Portland, San Diego and Hollywood in the Coast loop.

VANCOUVER BOXER WINS
CHICAGO, Dec. 3 (AP).—Freddie Steele, 124, Vancouver, knocked out

Butch Maxwell, 136, Gary, Ind., in the third round of a scheduled five-round bout here tonight.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 3 (AP).—Premier Zoltan Tildy told Parliament today that Hungary has only enough bread supplies to last until the middle of January and there is a similar shortage of fats and other provisions.

Tildy said everyone whose presence in Budapest is not imperative will be asked to leave, because the food situation in the country districts is more favorable.

Juvenile Soccer

Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association fixtures for this week follow:

SATURDAY
Division Two—Canadian Legion vs. Gorge Aces, Lower Beacon Hill, 1 p.m.

Division Three—Olympus vs. Eagles, Heywood Avenue, 1 p.m.

Division Four—Eagles vs. Blue Line, Victoria High School, 1:15 p.m.

Division Five—Eiks vs. Balmoral Thistles, Royal Athletic Park, 1:15 p.m.

SUNDAY
Division One—Maple Leafs vs. Young Wests, Heywood Avenue, 1 p.m.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 3 (CP).—Hagold Goulet, of Vancouver, said today he has obtained sufficient funds to assure legal aid for his father, Jules Goulet, awaiting preliminary hearing in Saskatoon in connection with the

murder of Mike Pilawski near Saskatoon in 1928.

Young Goulet, an army and air force veteran, said he failed to collect his gratuities in a lump sum to hire legal counsel for his father but managed to "get the money by other means."

The father was arrested in Vancouver shortly after Emil Gauthier confessed, police said, at Terrace. He had witnessed the murder of Pilawski.



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Made by Kroehler. All-spring construction, handsome damask covering. **69.50**

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Beautifully designed to hold 1, 2 or 3 lights. Each. **1.00 5.95**

FIRESIDE COMPANION SETS
Consisting of shovel, tongs, poker and brush. Black enamel finish. **6.75**

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In handsome frames. Priced at **2.95, 4.95 and 6.95**

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In gay chintz coverings. Spring-filled seat, hardwood frames. **19.50**

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In rayon satin. White and gold frames. **2.50 9.50**

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In hand-painted crystal, complete with shade. **6.70**

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With lovely china base, bell-style shade. **21 50**

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With matching stool. Adjustable reclining back, spring construction. **79.50**

DRUM TABLE
In walnut or mahogany veneer. Dual utility drawers. Duncan Phyllis Taryed pedestal and legs. **32.50**

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In Duncan Phyllis style with rounded birch-walnut tops. **9.95**

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Cocktail and coffee tables in round and oblong designs. From **20.00 to 54.00**

CEDAR CHESTS
With drawers, finely finished in water-aid design, walnut veneer. **59.50**

HASSOCKS
Covered in hard-wearing leatherette in various colors.
ROUND **3.50 5.00**
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FRAMED PICTURES
In florals, old masters, colored etchings and genuine pastels. **1.50 to 7.95**



Racing Entries At Fair Grounds
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 3.—Race entries at the Fair Grounds follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs
Pencil 113
Rider Mania 112
Zacabala 107
Might Arab 110
Order Arms 116
Good For Me 112

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Meyna 108
Chalcedon 108
Dark To Back 108
Jockeyand 103

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Mia America 114
River Jack 112
Ben Hur 112
Jono 112
Dionis M. G. 108

FOURTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Light Flash 117
Valdine Marie 112
Vixen Me 108
Sonic Patricia 112

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Good Going 116
Who's Your Gal 108
Lovely Trace 106
Miss Advice 112

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Base Pledge 111
Miss Brand 108
Black Africa 113
Glennport 113
Clara 108
Hafunio 112

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
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